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The Honorable George B. Daniels Senior United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007 SO ORDERED

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INITED STATES DISTRICT HIDO

Re: United States v. Alhassan Lari 20 Cr. 143 (GBD)

Dear Judge Daniels:

Please recall that I represented Mr. Alhassan Lari, the defendant in the above-referenced matter, who was sentenced by Your Honor on June 16, 2021, to a period of one year and one day of imprisonment and three years of supervised release. Mr. Lari completed his term of imprisonment and was released from custody on June 17, 2022.

I write because Mr. Lari seeks permission to travel to Ghana to visit his son and other family members from approximately January 22, 2024, until February 22, 2024. While in the Ghana, he can be reached by telephone at +233264108810. I have spoken with U.S.P.O. Brittany Valentine, who supervises Mr. Lari, who advised that Probation does not oppose this request because Mr. Lari has been in compliance with his supervised release obligations. If granted permission, Mr. Lari will provide all of the details of his trip, including his flight information and location(s) where he will be staying, to U.S.P.O. Valentine for final approval.

We thank Your Honor for your time and consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark I. Cohen, Esq.

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Cc: U.S.P.O. Brittany Valentine

Mr. Alhassan Lari